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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Paul R. Schmidt et al.	Examiner:	David Fidei
Serial No.:	10/691,726	Group Art Unit:	3728
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Title	PACKAGE FOR SEGREGATING AND MIXING SUBSTANCES		

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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

And  
REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the final Office Action mailed April 19, 2006, said period of response being extended from July 19, 2006 to October 19, 2006.

Applicants submitted a response to the final Office Action on May 24, 2006, within two months of the date of the final action, and to date have not received an Advisory Action. Applicants believe they are entitled to a full or partial refund of the extension fee herein.

If necessary, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover a three-month extension fee. Please credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted,

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